have fallen under Obſervation) to beg Leave to ſubſcribe myſelf, with the higheſt Eſteem,

SIR,

Tooting, Dec. 6: 1748.

Your and the Royal Society's

moſt obedient, and
moſt humble Servant,

Henry Miles.

II. *An Account of the Caſe of a* Clergyman's Lady, *at* Cottered *near* Baldock *in* Hertfordſhire, *who had a* Stone *under her* Tongue, *by* Wm. Freeman *Eſq*; *F. R. S.*

Read Jan. 19. 1748.

THIS Subſtance, ſeemingly a Concretion of Stone or Chalk *, was voided in *July* 1748. from under the Root of her Tongue, juſt on the left Side of the middle String among the Blood-veſſels. It was lodged in a Cell formed by itſelf, the Traces being left behind exactly tallying. It was voided without Pain, or Effuſion of Blood.

The Patient began to feel in the Part affected ſome Uneaſineſs about 18 Months before the Diſcharge. The Pain extended itſelf ſometimes along the Jaw almoſt to the Ear; the Glands being at times ſwell'd, and a ſalt Rheum flowing into the Mouth. The Swelling of the Part gradually increaſed to about the Size

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* The Stone is in the *Muſeum* of the *Royal Society*.

Size of a large Nutmeg; and, being felt by the Finger, was hard.

About a Fortnight before the Diſcharge, ſome white Specks appeared; upon which it was ſuppoſed that Matter was gathering; and being ſtill hard, a common Poultice of white Bread and Milk was applied, and then it preſently diſlodged itſelf, without any Application, and left the Patient ever ſince free from Complaint.

I was obliged to the Rev. Mr. *Chauncy*, the Husband of the Patient, for this Account.

III. *An Account of* Glaſſes *of a new Contrivance, for preſerving Pieces of* Anatomy *or* Natural Hiſtory *in ſpirituous Liquors, by* Claud. Nic. le Cat. *M. D. F. R. S. Royal Demonſtrator in Anatomy and Surgery at* Roan.

Tranſlated from the French *by* T. S. *M. D. F. R. S.*

Read Jan. 19. 1748. THOSE who have Collections of Anatomy, or Natural Hiſtory, and preſerve Animals, Vegetables, or any of their Parts, in ſpirituous Liquors, are ſenſible how expenſive it is to ſupply the Waſte of theſe Spirits, which evaporate conſiderably.

Having in 1739. begun to make a Collection of this ſort, it was not long before I felt the Neceſſity I was under of contriving ſome kind of Veſſel, or ſome way of cloſing the common Glaſſes, which might prevent, or at leaſt diminiſh the Quantity of, this Evaporation. After